

NEW SERIES.

SEDALIA, MISSOURI, MONDAY APRIL 10, 1893.

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NEARING THE END.

EVIDENCE IN THE ROBINSON
CASE CLOSED AT NOON.

THE JURY IS INSTRUCTED.

The Arguments Progressing This
Afternoon—An Early Verdict
Anticipated.

Only a few short hours will be required until a verdict is returned in the Dick Robinson murder case, which was resumed in the Pettis county criminal court a few minutes before 11 o'clock this forenoon.

There were the usual crowd of spectators present, nearly one half of whom were negroes, many of the latter being females, and all paid close attention to the short proceedings of the morning hour. After the court had ordered entries made in a number of minor cases, the jury was brought into the court room, and three or four of the gentlemen gave abundantly evidence of their prolonged absence from their homes.

The defendant continued to exhibit the utmost indifference to his position and surroundings, and if he was in the least nervous he gave no outward evidence of it.

It was about 11 o'clock when Dr. A. V. Small, the last witness for the defense, was placed upon the stand; but if there were any who had anticipated sensational developments at the close they were badly disappointed.

DR. SMALL'S TESTIMONY.

The doctor testified that he remembered having seen the body of the dead woman in South Sedalia last October. He did not remember the day, but his attention was called to the corpse between 5 and 6 o'clock in the morning. The body had been dragged about thirty feet, and it was the belief of the witness that the wound was inflicted after death, at the spot where the body was found, and not at the point from where it was dragged.

On cross-examination the doctor stated that a wound such as the dead girl sustained would have been fatal unless surgical attention was promptly at hand. Witness repeated that it was his opinion that the girl was not stabbed at the spot where the first evidence of a struggle was perceptible, or otherwise there would have been a larger spot of blood than there was.

At this point Lawyer Kennedy announced that the evidence for the defense was closed, and County Attorney Hoffman stated that he had nothing to offer in rebuttal. The jury at once retired, and all the witnesses in the case were discharged, after which court took a recess until 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Afternoon Session.

When court reconvened it did so in the north room instead of the south room of the court house, the change being made for the accommodation of the large number of spectators in attendance.

It was nearly 3 o'clock instead of 1:30 when Judge Ryland took his seat upon the bench, the extra hour having been occupied by the court in examining the instructions submitted by Lawyer Hoffman for the state and Lawyer Kennedy for the defense.

At the conclusion of the reading of the instructions, Mr. Hoffman began his argument for the defense. He will be followed by Mr. Kennedy and Mr. Hoffman will take probably half an hour in his closing argument. The case will be given to the jury this evening, most likely, and an early verdict is anticipated.

INTERESTING MEETING.

The Y. M. C. A. Services Held at Boonville Yesterday—At the Reform School.

Y. M. C. A. work at Boonville caused much religious enthusiasm yesterday. State Secretary F. C. Child, of St. Louis; Secretary J. S. Langhorne, of Sedalia, held interesting services in that city morning, afternoon and evening, assisted by the following singers: J. Frank Kennedy, George Hoffman, W. H. Hogg, George Menefee and Miss Grace Poter. Prof. Chance was the accompanist.

During the morning the state reform school was visited and an ad-

dress made by Mr. Langhorne. Superintendent Drake gave a drill and inspection of the boys, and was extremely kind in his attentions to the visitors. Another service was held at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Secretary Langhorne addressed the 175 boys and the singers rendered their most beautiful songs. The boys in return sang for the visitors. There were twelve inmates from Sedalia and fifty from Kansas City.

At 4 o'clock there was a largely attended mass meeting for men at the M. E. church, south. At night a union mass meeting of all the churches in the city was held at Presbyterian church. Mr. Child made the address of the evening and was listened to with rapt attention.

MAY LYNCH HIM.

THE SALINA FIEND NOW IN
CUSTODY.

HIS HOURS NUMBERED.

Hundreds of Determined Men Say
He Shall Hang Unless He Can
Clear Himself.

SALINA, Kan., April 10.—A negro named John Hudson was arrested here yesterday on the charge of being the fiend who on April 5th made an infamous assault upon Mrs. Frost and then nearly murdered the lady and her babe by using the latter as a club to beat the former.

Hudson had been employed on a farm near this city but was seen here on the afternoon the crime was committed. When Hudson was taken before Mrs. Frost he refused to look her in the face but she positively identified him as the guilty party.

A large crowd of determined men gathered but the prisoner was hurried into the county jail for safe keeping.

The men say they will give the negro time to make a defense, but unless he can meet Mrs. Frost's positive identification of him as the culprit with some plausible explanation of his whereabouts on the night the crime was committed they will certainly hang him.

A Good Appointment.

Fred H. Wilson has signed a contract with the New York Life insurance company and will have charge of a branch of the Sedalia office at Warrensburg. In securing the services of Mr. Wilson, Col. J. R. Wasson has added another valuable man to his fine force of men. Col. Wasson is one of the most successful insurance men in the United States and has a peculiar tact in getting highly capable agents. Mr. Wilson has been reared in the insurance business, is a most courteous and popular gentleman and will do a big business.

Returned to Springfield.

P. E. Taylor, brother of W. W. Taylor and formerly connected with the Home Lumber company, accompanied by his family, returned to Springfield, Mo., their old home. Mr. Taylor has been a resident of Sedalia since last November, and he and his family leave behind them many warm friends.

Back From New York.

J. M. West, who has been visiting at his old home in Eastern New York for the last two months, returned home yesterday afternoon, satisfied in his own mind that Sedalia is one of the very best cities in the union.

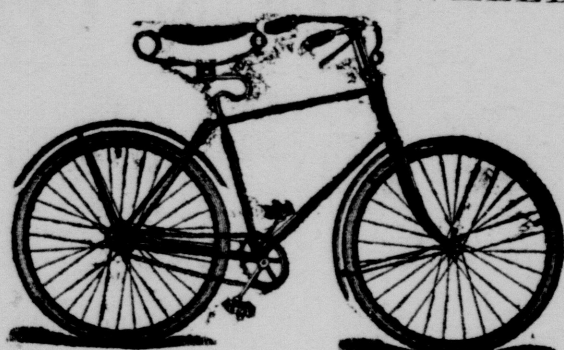
A Correction.

In its last issue the Gazette says Umbles escaped from the street commissioner. This is false. Mr. Hyatt says he did not have charge of the negro at all at the time.

Real Estate Going Up.

The real estate firms are holding their prices up for spring, and some good property has been sold at quite an advance. The firm of Woodfin & Thatcher say they will not advance the prices for about thirty days on any of their properties. Parties who wish good properties or houses in any part of the city, had better call on them. They write fire insurance, best companies, loan money, buy and sell real estate.—314 Ohio street.

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A FEMALE SPECTATOR.

Only One White Woman to Hear the Evidence in the Robinson Murder Case.

One of the most interested spectators that has been present throughout the Dick Robinson murder trial is Mary Myers, a white woman, who has arrived early each morning and remained until the day's proceedings were closed.

As a rule, she has occupied a chair within the railing, the observed of all spectators, but this fact did not annoy her in the least.

Even when sensational testimony was being introduced she would leave her seat and walk boldly up to the judge's desk and help herself from the pitcher of water that had been provided for the court and attorneys, and then return to her chair to give the closest possible attention to the proceedings.

Mary has been the only white woman in attendance, but she made up her mind that she wanted to hear the evidence, and hear it she certainly has.

A Sad Joke.

A report in reference to the deplorable effects of a practical joke says the Jefferson City Tribune, comes from Cedar City. Some boys took Ben Steppings, 17 years old, out one night recently and considerable shooting and yelling was done. The young fellow ran about two miles and is now a raving maniac and the doctor has no hope of his recovery. A sad termination of a joke.

825 Pounds Dressed.

The finest beef ever seen in Sedalia was on sale to-day at Trusler & Co.'s stall in the market house. This firm has earned the reputation of selling the best meat ever sold in this city. If you get a roast or steak from them you will know what good meat is. Telephone 135.

To Citizens and Strangers.

When at the market house be kind enough to inspect the meats sold by Trusler & Co. and then form your own opinion who sells the best meat in Sedalia. Telephone 135.

A BUTTER!



Story Told by

W. J. LETTS,
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Country Butter!

Butterine!

AMUSEMENTS.—WOOD'S OPERA HOUSE.

MONDAY—APRIL 10

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"He's a Good Brother."
And his **Big Comedy Company.**
Presenting the funniest farce ever written.
"DR. CUPID!"
Played by the funniest man of our time.
A Landslide of Laughter.

SANTA FE STRIKE.

IT IS NOT A QUESTION OF
WAGES.

THE MEN NOT SATISFIED.

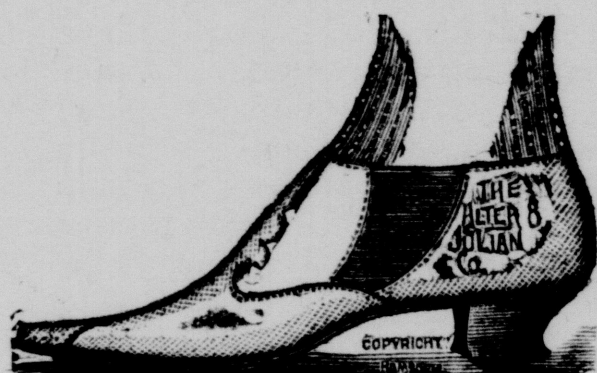
They Fear Their Action Has Been
Hasty and That the Strike
Will Fail.

TOPEKA, Kan., April 10.—The subject of the strike of the Santa Fe mechanics was the topic of conversation in business and labor circles yesterday. It has been demonstrated that the prime cause for the strike is not a question of wages so much as the demand of the grievance committee that the road shall contract with the unions rather than with the men individually, and the managers of the road claim that the action of the committee is a long step toward a demand that none but union men shall be employed. The road was ready to concede the increase in wages, but proposed to make no difference between union and non-union men in the matter of employing mechanics.

There is no apparent ill feeling

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ARE ALL THE RAGE.



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between the opposing forces, and each treats the other with marked consideration.

It is plainly to be seen that among the men are many whose hearts are not in the strike and some are not backward about saying that it was an ill-timed and hasty movement. The question of wages being conceded, many of the men are anxious to go to work, and it is not likely that the strike will continue much longer.

House for Sale.

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THURSDAY APRIL 13.

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Time!**

A Cyclone of Merriment!

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Lots cor. 10th and Harrison sts.
Lot 50x180 S. 3d E. front, cor. 13th and Washington.
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2 " cor. 10th and Marvin.
2 " cor. East Broadway and Wagner.
2 " cor. 9th and Wagner.

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Soon we'll feel the balmy breeze,
Sighing through the lofty trees;
Soon we'll hear the little bee
A-humming.
Soon we'll bid adieu to snow,
As the sunbeams hotter grow;
Soon we'll have the tornado—
It's coming.

There is more truth than poetry in the above.
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RELIABLE AND NEWSY!



THE DAILY DEMOCRAT.

THE DEMOCRAT of yesterday was a model paper and was the favorite of the advertiser as well as the reader.

Last week witnessed a considerable growth in the circulation of the DEMOCRAT. We hope to do even better this week.

THE A. P. A. claims the credit for the result of Tuesday's election in St. Louis. If the claim is allowed it is no credit to the city.

THE community will be the gainer if every man who voted illegally at the late election is sent to the penitentiary. That is, if there were any illegal votes cast.

THE Fourth Assistant Postmaster General announces that republican postmasters of the fourth class will not be turned out of office, except for cause, until they have served four years.

NEARLY five thousand immigrants landed at New York Saturday. Many of them were Italians who were strongly suspected of having come over under contract, in violation of law.

THE newspapers are trying to get up a fight between Vest and Francis and Cockrell and Stone. The correspondents appear to think that there are four big men in Missouri and only room for two.

SALINE county reports through the daily press hail stones as large as walnuts. This is not surprising, considering what a wonderfully fertile county Saline really is and that Will Patterson is the author of the stories.

DISPATCHES from Topeka yesterday report many of the striking mechanics as dissatisfied with the move, which they have come to consider as hasty and ill-advised. Strikes are always costly and should never be made until all efforts for a fair settlement have been tried and exhausted.

PROF. PAUL PAQUIN, who made a special study of the germ theory of diseases, strongly advises that the people daily use for drinking purposes no water that has not been boiled. He suggests the drinking of a glass or two of hot water a half hour before each meal, and holds that there is no danger of cholera if these precautions are taken.

It is very evident that Connecticut is not proud of her reputation as a "blue law" state, says an exchange. A bill introduced in the

legislature to prohibit Sunday fishing has been defeated by a handsome majority, though the general laws of the state prohibit any "sport or recreation on the first day of the week, between sunrise and sunset," and net fishing on Sunday is prohibited under heavy penalties. It looks as though the people of the state intended to fish on Sunday; though it is difficult to see how they can reconcile such conduct with the existing law. Perhaps they regard fishing as solemn and serious business instead of sport and recreation. There are people who so regard it—especially when they catch nothing.

FIGHT THE TRUST.

While the newspapers have been fighting trusts, there has sprung up a trust which proposes to control the manufacture and raise the price of the very type from which the newspapers are printed.

Twenty-three of the leading type foundries have joined the conspiracy and raised the price.

Now what are the newspapers going to do about it?

Are they going to fight the trust in the courts?

Or will they unite and say to the few foundries that have refused to join the trust, "Prepare to supply our needs at the old prices and you shall have the entire trade that has enriched these twenty-three firms?"

A thorough organization on the part of the press of the country can break the trust in two years.

One or two of the largest foundries in the country have remained firm in their refusal to enter the combine. Now let the press see that these firms have their trade. If necessary the proprietors of printing offices should make contracts with the "outside" foundries for five or ten years at old prices, and with these contracts signed, and the consequent profits assured, it would be no trouble for these firms to secure capital necessary to increase their facilities sufficient to supply the increased demand.

THE Gazette charges that Mayor Stevens pardoned Charles Umbles and had him released from the calaboose on condition that he vote for Lee Looney. The grand jury is in session and it is to be presumed that the Gazette will either prove the charge or retract it. It should be remarked, however, that the paper gives as its authority the statement of a man for whom it says "the gates of the penitentiary yawn," and it may find some trouble in convincing the jury, as well as the public, that the story is true, when backed by such evidence.

PARISIAN ministers in the present state of French temper are about as uncertain as April weather, says the Detroit Free Press, and cabinet-making under existing circumstances brings results less substantial than the erection of air castles. The Panama Canal scandal was the starter and now almost any excuse is sufficient to overthrow the ministry. But with all these advantages playing into their hands, the royalists are not making any such headway as to create dread for the safety of the republic.

If the embellished reports of the fanciful correspondence at the city of Washington are true, says the Springfield Democrat, Senator Vest and Ex-Governor Francis and Senator Cockrell and Governor Stone have picked off and are roaming through the national capitol wearing cold, steely glares, all fully prepared to get the drop on the others. This kind of stuff does violence to all shades of truth, but it doesn't trouble readers who think any at all.

BROTHER EMERSON should give the grand jury the benefit of what he knows, or pretends to know, about illegal voting. That course would look at least like he believed in the truth of the charges, whereas to rake up the scum of the city and base criminal charges upon the assertion of a jail bird is not very convincing. Come, file your charges and evidence before the grand jury and let twelve unprejudiced men pass upon them.

ACCORDING to the Kansas City Times, Gov. Stone gives it out plainly and emphatically that he is not a candidate for the United States senate. He says that Vest

and Cockrell are each good for twenty years yet; that he does not think he could defeat either for the senate and that he would not bring about such defeat if he could. Gov. Francis has on several occasions expressed himself about as emphatically to the same effect.

AN aerolite fell and struck the John Brown monument at Osawatimie, Kansas, the other day. It is thought the strange visitor is composed largely of a new metal called helium. If the accident had occurred last winter Kansas people would not have been surprised at "helium" striking the state, only they would not have spelled it that way.

THE grand jury is in session, and if anybody knows of any illegal voting in this city the grand jury is the place to lodge the information. It makes no difference whether the guilty party voted the republican or the democratic ticket, he should be prosecuted and punished.

AMUSEMENTS.

Frank Daniels

In "Dr. Cupid" at the opera house to-night.

Frank Daniels' new play, "Dr. Cupid," is one of the greatest successes in all the history of farce comedy. This comedian, to whom the hackneyed term inimitable may be justly applied, has in the character of Theophile Mudge one that rivals even the unparalleled Packington Giltedge in irresistible gaiety and grotesque humor. Mudge is a hotel keeper, member of innumerable secret orders, whose badges he wears on his person. Moreover, he has a wen on his neck. The blemish has been removed by his prospective son-in-law, Dr. Cupid. It is the young man's first case. In the operation of healing the scar, a piece of skin is grafted to Mr. Mudge's neck. This is fraught with serious consequences in that he unconsciously absorbs some of the qualities of the man whose skin he borrowed. Among other amusing things a tuft of flame-colored whiskers sprout on the old man Mudge's neck, for the graft was from the cheek of a red-haired tramp. But to try to explain the whys and wherefores of all the fun that keeps the audience in an almost shriek of laughter would make a long story.

Perhaps the second act is the funniest of all, for it introduces Mudge as an athletic gentleman, with a weakness for boxing. Frank Daniels' personality affords the charm in all of his impersonations. As a matter of fact, Mr. Daniels has no superior on the stage as an eccentric comedian, and his gifts shine their brightest in "Dr. Cupid." His company is capital and furnishes no small part of the entertainment. John Canfield distinguishes himself in the character of the inventor. Bessie Sanson as Majorie Mudge, did clever work, indeed, each individual in the company is praiseworthy.—Buffalo, N. Y. Courier.

"A Breezy Time."

At the opera house Thursday, April 13. The following is what a Philadelphia paper says of it:

"Despite the inclemency of the weather, the Empire theatre was well filled last night, the attraction being Fitz and Webster and their merry company in 'A Breezy Time.' This piece is one of the best farce comedies now on the stage, and never fails to attract large audiences. It is replete with catchy music and entertaining varieties. The selections on various musical instruments by E. B. Fitz and Kathryn Webster were vociferously applauded, as also was the serpentine dance by Miss Orient Anson. The remaining members of the company understood their parts perfectly."—Philadelphia Evening Star, Nov. 29, 1892.

Si Plunkard.

J. C. Lewis, the original "Si Plunkard" in his hay seed get up, gave a long-to-be-remembered entertainment at the Grand opera house last night to a crowded house and the best of the season. The performance was well put on, and the Dutch comedian brought down the house every time he opened his mouth. Si Plunkard, with his original sayings and farm-eretic blunders, made the windows rattle with laughter. The play is well written and deserves full patronage wherever it is given. Mrs. Lewis, in the character of the country maiden, brought forth much comment as a stage beauty, and her graceful acting. Si, we'll not forget you.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Coming to the opera house Saturday, April 15.

Parties wanting cows pastured, apply at the Dorman place, South Lamine street.

GOV. STONE ON COMMERCE.

He Replies to a Toast at the New York Board of Trade Banquet.

The annual banquet of the New York board of trade and transportation was held Saturday evening at Delmonico's. The assemblage was a distinguished one, all of the great fields of life being fully represented—statecraft, finance and commerce in all its phases being specially a feature. After the dinner President Snow in a brief speech introduced Oscar Strauss as toastmaster, who made a very pleasant remarks. Gov. W. J. Stone of Missouri, responding to the toast "The western point of view," said:

"Some one has said that commerce is war, but I don't believe that notion is founded on good sense or good grounds. There may be combat in the process of bargaining, but combat itself, when conducted among natural course, does not provoke conflict. The subjects of commerce in which people of the United States are chiefly interested because they constitute the bulk of their trade, are the products of manufacturers, of agriculture, of minerals and of the forests. They supply clothing, food and shelter and the implements of industry to men. Whoever goes to his neighbor in quest of food must take something that neighbor desires, to give in exchange, or else must give him an equivalent without which he may obtain that which he desires. This is not war, it is fraternity. It is the very essence of an exalted, refined civilization. The opportunity to effect these exchanges should not be made difficult or expensive, but the way to them should be as open and free as the public safety need make possible. This is the best for our own country, and it is best likewise for the great majority of people of all, or nearly all, the countries of the world.

"Again, in any event and under any wise policy of government or of trade, it would seem that the people who supply the articles of commerce should not only enjoy, unrestrained, as far as may be the right of exchange, but should also be the happiest and most prosperous of our people. They not only supply their own wants, but those of the millions who are engaged in other avocations. Without them there would be haggard want and destitution.

"Vonder in the west, from that great basin between the green slopes of the Alleghenies and the silent peaks among the Rockies, the products are raised that go abroad to supply the wants of millions beyond the seas and which constitute substantially the whole of our export trade. Upon this region the future of New York in a very large measure depends. Cheap transportation is the vital question to the producers of the interior. We must get to the seaboard and out upon the high seas without paying the entire interests of our labor for the privilege. We want good money and plenty of it—far more, I think, than we have. Western producers ought to be among the most prosperous and contented people in the world, but they are neither prosperous nor contented. They are not paupers, they are not destitute, but the measure of their prosperity is far below what it ought to be. They are dissatisfied and the spirit of protest is developing into the most aggressive spirit of combat."

Greatly Surprised.

My wife was confined to her bed for over two months with a very severe attack of rheumatism. We could get nothing that would afford her any relief, and as a last resort gave Chamberlain's Pain Balm a trial. To our great surprise she began to improve after the first application, and by using it regularly she was soon able to get up and attend to her house work. E. H. Johnson, of C. J. Knutson & Co., Kensington, Minn. 50 cent bottles for sale by druggists.

Will Meet To-night.

The Sedalia Republican Flambeau club will meet at their rooms to-night and hold their annual election of officers, as well as transact any other business that may come before the organization. In the face of the returns from last Tuesday's municipal election, would it not be better to drop the word "republican" and let it go at plain "flambeau club?"

A Theatrical Train.

A special train composed of a baggage car and a chair car, passed through the city at 2:30 o'clock Sunday morning, bearing the "Pair or Kids" company from Kansas City to St. Louis.

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Missouri Kansas and Texas Ry.

SOUTHBOUND. MAIN LINE. Arrive. Leave.
No. 1, Texas Express, 5:45 p. m. 6:15 p. m.
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NORTHBOUND. MAIN LINE. Arrive. Leave.
No. 2, Texas Express, 9:15 a. m. 10:40 a. m.
No. 4, Chicago Exp's, 5:50 p. m. 6:10 p. m.

Sedalia, Warsaw and Southern.

NORTHBOUND. Arrives. Leaves.
No. 200, Accommodation, 3:00 p. m.

SOUTHBOUND. Arrives. Leaves.
No. 199, Accommodation, 8:15 a. m.

Missouri Pacific Ry.

MAIN LINE. WESTBOUND. Arrive. Leave.
No. 1 Day Express, 3:25 p. m. 3:35 p. m.
No. 3 Night Express, 3:15 a. m. 3:25 a. m.

MAIN LINE. EASTBOUND. Arrive. Leave.
No. 2 Day Express, 12:35 p. m. 12:40 p. m.
No. 4 Night Express, 11:55 p. m. 12:01 a. m.

LEXINGTON BRANCH. WESTBOUND. Arrive. Leave.
No. 193 Colorado Exp's, 5:05 a. m.
No. 191 Local Pass'g't, 3:45 p. m.

LEXINGTON BRANCH. EASTBOUND. Arrive. Leave.
No. 192 St. Louis Exp's, 10:30 a. m.
No. 194 Local Passenger, 10:30 p. m.

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The same may be said of the magnificent lines of white goods, Muslins and Victoria lawns, India linens and lovely Gingham that catch the eye of all who enter our store. They look so fresh, so sweet and so clean, that every one sighs for them when seen. Each price suggests the coming spring, they seem so light and cool. The Gingham are the latest and the loveliest of the season, and you will find among them your ideal for a dress.

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THE WORM PEST ON MAPLE TREES.

The Experience of a Sedalian Who Succeeded in Saving His Trees.

As summer draws nigh again the worms that for several years have destroyed the maple tree foliage can be expected to again make their appearance. A more disgusting misfortune has never before befallen our shade trees. Maple trees as a rule are the principle ones in our yards and parks. The worms if not molested will destroy every vestige of greenness upon them. They crawl upon the ground and sidewalks, wriggling and squirming in a way that keeps a nervous person bordering on hysterics.

During the coming summer, by diligence and carefulness at the right time, the trees may be saved. A representative of the DEMOCRAT was talking a few days ago with an East Sixth street gentleman who succeeded in destroying the worms, while his neighbors' trees were completely ruined. Said he:

"I use Paris green as a poison, though many people claim that it is not sufficiently effective. Applied at the right time, however, it is a sure remedy. After the millers have deposited their eggs, the trees should be carefully watched for the first evidence of hatching. Soon the small worms will be seen voraciously eating the leaves—the work of destruction has begun. They grow rapidly and no delay should now be made. To a bucket of water add a teaspoonful of Paris green. A good spray can be purchased at almost any hardware store, and you are now fixed to wage warfare. The fluid should be thrown so that it will fall upon the leaves. Many stand under the trees and by throwing the poisoned water upon the worms themselves think that they are destroyed. This is a mistake; it is the eating of the poisoned leaves that kill the worms. A plentiful amount of water should be used and I have secured better results by repeating the spraying about a week later. Of course, if a rain should follow within a few hours after the work is done, the trees should again be sprayed."

"If the trees are too high for your sprayer, have them trimmed and kept low for a year or two. I believe that if the citizens of Sedalia would take concerted action in this matter the worm pest could be destroyed."

NEW ROAD SURVEYED.

Four and One-Half Miles from Sedalia to Brown's Springs.
County Surveyor Thomas A. Stanley to-day completed the survey of the new road from the Jewish cemetery south of the city to Brown's

FASHIONS FOR SPRING

COSTUMES FOR WOMEN OF LATE DESIGN.

A Hat That Has Lately Made Its Appearance—Costumes for a Girl—The Next—Lace Capes for Summer Wear—Fashion Notes.

Like and yet unlike the gowns of their elders are modish costumes for young girls at the present time. The fashionable dress of the girl from 12 to 16 years of age comes as near, in all important particulars, an ideal style of dress as any that has yet been designed, as it is pretty, graceful, comfortable and hygienic. Still the dress of the buds of womanhood is very like in all its salient features, other fashionable frocks of the period. The full round skirts; the pretty jackets, in unlimited variety as to shape; the round



PRETTY DRESS FOR A GIRL.

draped waists of brilliant silk of wool; the graceful Princess dresses, are all worn alike by girls, and elder sisters and their mothers. An especially fashionable style of dress for girls at the present moment is the princess. This form readily yields itself to a great variety of pretty and becoming adjustments and still in effect is simple, which is especially desirable in a girl's dress. The costume illustrated is a princess of navy-blue cloth. The skirt is trimmed at the foot with a band of fur, although any other garniture preferred could be used. The closing of this frock is on the side under a row of black velvet buttons which correspond with the neck band and bib as well as the zephyr vest. One side of this vest is left loose and the other secured under part of the full bodice. The hat worn with this costume is a blue felt trimmed with a huge bow and loops of blue ribbon striped in slender lines in black.

A Splendid Hat.

From the plain severity of the big satin poke, piped and stitched about the edge, or piped only, and ornamented with a plume or two rampant and a rose, to a tiny bonnet, a mass of frilled lace and all sorts and kinds of turbans, everything as to size and everything as to shape in headgear for women is approved of fashion. There are, however, some distinct features that prevail, whatever the size or shape of the hat or bonnet. For example, whenever there is a brim or a flare which makes it possible, flowers, a choux of colored velvet or ribbon, or a band of some sort is put in next to the hair. Another prevailing feature is a fall of lace on the edges of hats and bonnets. In fact, some of the bonnets from famous Parisian milliners



LATEST IN SPRING HATS.

are simply a crown with a full frill of lace about it. One of these, from Linn Falkner, is a little bowl-shaped crown of cut steel with a frill of black lace like a curtain at the back, with yellow and a tall black aigrette in front, and that is all there is of the bonnet.

When lace is used, it is accordion plaited and then arranged in all sorts of fancy forms. An example of this is seen in the hat illustrated. The Alsatian box is of accordion-plaited lace held in place by a jet buckle. A small piece of the lace is so placed that it falls over the brim in front. In addition to this there are two full, rich half-plumes, black satin strings and two clusters of petunia-colored cowslips nestling under the brim on the hair.

Stylish Redingote Gowns.

The new stylish redingote dresses of faille, with petit pois satin dots and a satin striped brocade, are among the positively attractive dresses of the season. As a rule, these dresses are simply made. For dinner and other dress they open in front over lace-trimmed underskirts. Street redingotes of checked tweed or striped camel's hair have fronts opening over bengaline shirt waists finished with a rather high corselet of the wool goods. One effective costume shows a pale, corn-colored cloth vest, with panel of the same down the left side of the skirt. The galloon which decorates the vest and panel reproduces the tweed's colors, which are mushroom, old pink and olive green.

Lace Capes for Summer Wear.

Lace capes fashioned much like the winter capes, with velvet or jetted yokes and collars, have made their appearance, like many other of the season's, long before their time. These capes are very handsome in design, especially those which are only garnished with expensive cut jet ornaments and fringes. Some costly French capes have yokes and collars of gold and jet net, dotted with cabochons, and a few models are lined

throughout with rows of jetted galloon in stripes falling over the cape from the yoke. The cape is thus stiffened to such an extent that it falls in lines that are altogether different from the soft, natural folds in which lace should fall.

Lace-Making School.

A school of about three hundred and fifty Italian girls, wearing the national costume and all industriously at work on exquisite lace, is a pleasant and interesting place to visit. So writes Madame de Boret, who visited a lace-making school at Burano, an island in the Adriatic Sea a few miles from Venice. The girls, who are from 10 to 18 years of age, sit in great, barely furnished, well-lighted rooms, on low chairs holding their lace frames on their knees.

They wear a short, bright-colored petticoat, a green, red or orange fichu crossed on the chest, silver rings in their ears, and around the neck bead or coral necklaces. They have dark eyes, teeth like pearls, smiling red lips, oval faces, fine profiles, and dark hair worn knotted in the back of the neck with a silver pin by the older girls, or in long ringlets by the younger ones. They draw their needles slowly and gracefully back and forth, and gravely except when some girlish joke raises a storm of smothered laughter.

The teachers superintend the work carefully, and the pupils make fine Venetian, Brussels, Alencon, and Argerentan point and guipure laces. They sometime fill orders for veils worth five thousand francs. A lace drapery which was shown Madame de Boret represented a vast amount of work. Seven months had been spent in making the foundation of it.

The price of the laces is fixed according to the time spent in making them, the rate being a franc a day. The more skillful pupils add to their income by doing lace-work at home also. They all like the school, and though they pay seems small for such fine work, it secures them a comfortable living, for a little money goes a long way in the island of Burano. Queen Margherita of Italy has been a generous patron of the school.

The Bodice in Its Variety.

Although for the moment there are plenty of rumors but no radical changes or deviations in the general line upon which fashions are moving, there is an endless series of innovations in minor characteristics. Taking the one item of the corsage, the styles are legion. Very often the modiste selects the sleeves of one model, the fronts of another, the back of a third, creating a novel style of her own, and this quite frequently from remnants of various novel or dainty fabrics, combining them with such picturesque effect that outline many a more expensive garment made of a single material and from a familiar pattern.

Fancy Buttons and the Directoire Coat.

The fancy for buttons with odd devices is revived for handsome gowns especially those with directoire coats and waistcoats. These vary from patterns of cut metal, matching gold, silver and copper-bronze passementeries, to styles as costly as real gems. Some are exceedingly elegant and artistic in sets both large and small, made of gold, silver and other genuine metals, and tinted in rich colorings of vines in relief or set with bits of glittering half-precious jewels. There are many attractive buttons in faceted silver, mother of pearl, hammered gold, chased copper and Mexican onyx, with gold settings showing heads of Leander, Atalanta, Paris, Hero, Priam, Penelope, etc., in moonstone, agate, cameo and vari-colored enamels. The new swallow-tail directoire coat, above the shortened, expanded dress skirt will be smartly worn this spring by slender women. In the feminine garment the ends are greatly elongated and likewise pointed. The seams up the back of a pale gray coat of this description are overlaid with fine, narrow gray silk gimp. This trimming is also carried the whole length of the garment, and decorates the edges of the spreading revers on the fronts which open over a rose-colored bengaline silk vest dotted with gray silk figures. The skirt is bordered with seven rows of the gimp.

Rheumatism in Children.

Rheumatism is a name applied to one of the earliest classified of all diseases. In the public mind the word is connected with swollen and painful joints, or, less frequently, with pain in the muscles or sinews.

As our knowledge of rheumatism has broadened, we have learned to consider it a disease of the system in general, resulting in local manifestations.

The pain and swelling in the joints are due to the irritation exerted by the poison of the disease—which is circulating in the system—upon the delicate structure which compose the joints themselves.

The action of this rheumatic poison is felt also upon other parts of the body. Recurring tonsillitis is often the result of such action upon the tissues composing the tonsils. This is frequently the case in adults; it is much oftener so in children. The action of the rheumatic poison is less frequently exerted upon the joints in children, so that rheumatism is commonly looked upon as a disease of adult life.

One symptom of the rheumatic temperament occurring in children is the development of little rounded bodies beneath the surface of the skin and around the joints. They are most common along the margins of the kneecap and elbowjoint, and along the backbone and collarbone. They appear quickly without pain, but are slow in disappearing.

Rheumatism, according to the best authorities, is the most common cause of the nervous disease called St. Vitus's dance. An inflammation of the chest walls, called pleurisy, not uncommonly develops during an attack of rheumatism, from the presence of the rheumatic virus in the system.

The most dangerous disorder to which the rheumatic temperament gives rise is the well-known one of heart disease.

It should be understood that the growing pains of children are often the only evidences of a rheumatic tendency. The chief safeguard against such a tendency lies in giving children proper food and a sufficiency of exercise.

Details of the management of children subject to rheumatic symptoms should in all cases be referred to the family physician.

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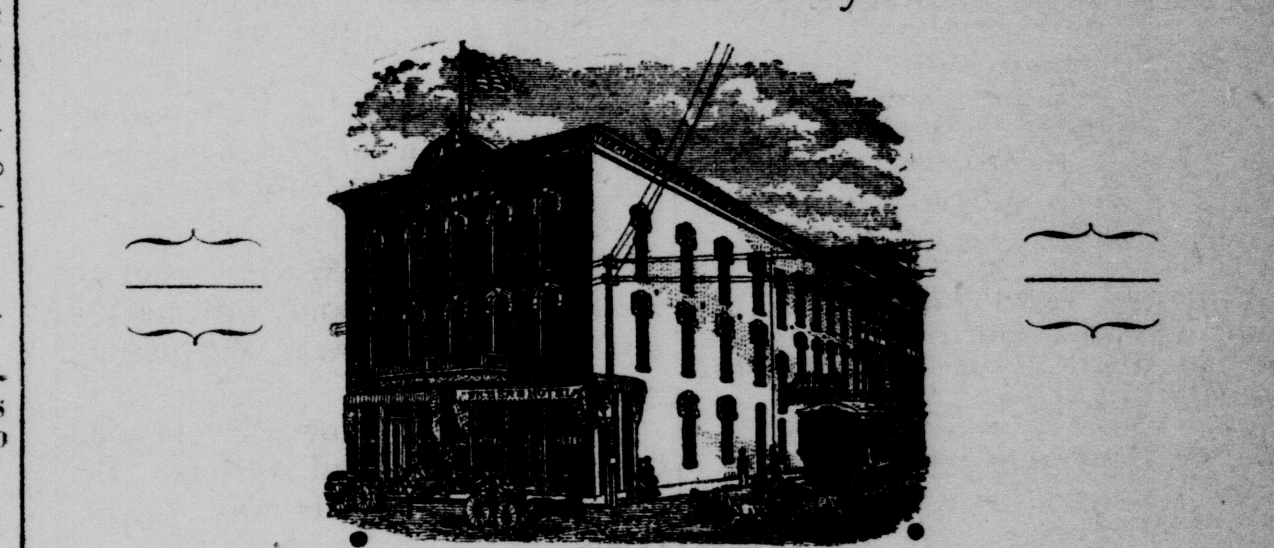
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WEATHER REPORT

For the 24 Hours Ending 3 O'Clock
This Afternoon by C. G. Taylor.

Wind	Cloudiness in tenths	Temperature Mar. Min.	Max.	Precipitation in inches
E	2	58	41	0.77

Barometer 29.28.

CITY ITEMS.

Smoke "Americanite" cigars.

Nicholson's Liquid Bread at Hick's.

Ripans Tabules cure hives.

"Americanite" cigars are the best.

Budweiser Beer, Pure Liquors and Wines for sale at 112 Osage. Frank Krueger, manager.

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Fine, Juicy Oysters.

Fresh oysters, the first of the season, served in all styles at Sicher's cafe. Also for sale by the can.

For Fire and Tornado insurance, call on Landmann & Harts horn corner Fourth and Ohio streets.

He Wanted to See the Man

That was so happy. He found him at the Queen City Bar where Geo. Fischer sets up the drinks that will make you young and happy.

Old Four and Perfecto.

Blatterman's cigar factory at 507 Ohio street, is running at full blast, manufacturing the celebrated Old Four and Perfecto cigars, the best domestic cigars in the market. Smokers are only asked to try them to be convinced.

Has Been Fishing.

Judge J. B. Gantt, of the supreme court, was in the city to-day on his return home to Jefferson City from Clinton where he has been enjoying the pleasures of the rod and line.

For Sale or Rent.

A seven room cottage, two lots, new barn and other improvements, at a bargain. Call at 1210 East Tenth street.

Death of an Aged Gentleman.

P. R. Whittlesey, father of Mrs. Dr. T. J. Fletcher, died yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of his daughter, No. 713 West Seventh street. Mr. Whittlesey was born in Pittsfield, New York, and had reached the unusual age of 89 years. The cause of his death was senile debility. The funeral took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock, after which the remains were taken to Lexington, Mo., for burial.

Attention, A. O. U. W.

All members of the various lodges are requested to meet at their halls at 2 p. m. on Wednesday and proceed immediately to the M. E. church, south, at 3 p. m. sharp, and take part in the funeral services of brother John Evans.

S. GOLDBERG, W. M.
T. C. HOLLAND, Recorder.

Improvement on West Fourth.

John W. Baldwin has just completed a beautiful circular veranda in front of his residence, No. 511 West Fourth street. The veranda is 60 feet in length. Sol Kingsbaker has also added a 54 foot veranda to his pleasant home.

A Painful Operation.

Dr. J. W. Ferguson has just performed an operation upon Mr. Ward, of Marline, Texas, a student in the Marmaduke Military academy at Sweet Springs, for empyema, and removed his eighth left rib.

For Carrying a Pistol.

Emanuel Givens, colored, will be arraigned and tried in Justice Fisher's court this afternoon on the charge of carrying concealed weapons, a pistol.

Preaching This Week.

There will be preaching at 8 o'clock every night this week at the Cumberland Presbyterian church by the pastor, Rev. Alonzo Pearson.

PERSONAL.

Omar Thornton spent yesterday in Kansas City.

M. W. Cadle was a noon passenger to St. Louis.

Mrs. Lureen Walker went to Boonville this morning.

J. Boone Dodge, of the Republic, went to Chillicothe to-day.

Councilman Rudolph Dean made a business trip to Beaman to-day.

Miss Dyers, the St. Louis lady drummer, was in the city to-day.

City Marshall Ed Morrison, of Warrensburg, was in the city to-day.

Frank Daniels and his "Dr. Cupid" company are at Kaiser's hotel.

A. F. Sanger and Emil H. Mueller, of Pilot Grove, are at Hotel Kaiser.

J. L. Sombart, one of Boonville's most influential citizens, was in the city yesterday.

Officer George Dixon is able to appear on the street after an illness of about a week.

A. P. Benson, of Topeka, is in the city looking after his interest in the Sedalia Ice plant.

Geo. P. B. Jackson was a passenger to Kansas City on train No. 1 yesterday afternoon.

Judge John Ryland came down from Lexington this morning where he spent Sunday at home.

Harry Myers, the popular express messenger on the branch, is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. E. E. Brown will leave Friday for a three weeks' visit in western Kansas and at Colorado Springs.

Mrs. John Heinrichs, daughter of Judge Milo Blair and wife, has returned to her home at Jefferson City.

G. L. Chilcote, a well known newspaper man of Carthage, is in the city and may possibly locate here.

Miss Lizzie Lee Warren went to St. Louis at noon and will hear a recital by Paderewski Wednesday night.

Judge James Cowgill, railroad commissioner, passed through the city at noon on his way to St. Louis.

Rennie and Roy Clowser, of St. Louis, are visiting the family of Geo. F. Fischer. They will be here some time.

Rev. Wm. Meyer was a noon passenger to Tipton and Boonville. He will attend the pastoral conference at the latter place.

H. L. Andrews, general agent of the board of colportage, of the M. E. church, was in the city on his way to the district conference at Fulton.

Councilmen-elect Richard Olmstead left yesterday afternoon for Kansas City to visit Logan Anderson, of this city, who is quite ill at that point.

J. K. Yeater returned at noon from a month's stay in California. Mr. Yeater traveled over the entire state and had a most interesting and pleasant trip.

Conductor George Ferrell resumed his passenger run south this morning after a two weeks' rest. George now has a bouncing baby to await his return.

The following commercial tourists went on the road to-day: J. W. Kennedy, to Huntsville; Ned Spencer, to Collins, Mo.; Tom Courtney, to Knobnoster.

J. B. McDonald, of the Johnson County Star, Warrensburg; Turner Hornbuckle, county attorney, and Col. J. M. Shepard, an attorney, are all here to-day from the Quarry City, in attendance at criminal court.

The M., K. & T. iron foundry, which has been closed down for several days, will resume operations to-morrow. A number of porters on the M., K. & T., running out of this city, have been dismissed from the service of the company.—Parsons Sun.

Hurry M. Ruby and wife, after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson, returned to their home at Macon City this morning. Mr. Ruby was particularly well pleased with Sedalia and was very complimentary. He is assistant cashier in the First National bank in Macon.

Mrs. H. Lee Kelley, a sister of Mrs. James H. Mara, arrived from Kansas City at noon and will attend the latter during her convalescence. Mrs. Mara has been confined to her bed for three weeks and the many friends of this estimable lady will be happy to know that she is recovering.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 302 West Seventh.

Fined for Vagrancy.

W. A. Lawrence and R. L. Phillips were arrested to-day for vagrancy by Detective Frank Barnett and Constable Jim Gossage. They were each fined \$20 and costs in Justice Blair's court and their sentences commuted to two days in jail.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Entries Made in Several Cases To-Day.

The following proceedings were had in the criminal court to-day:

State vs J C Farmerlee, leasing house for bawdy house; plea of not guilty withdrawn and motion filed to quash the indictment.

State vs Chas Stirling, gambling; motion to quash the indictment.

State vs Chas Banks, colored; murder in the first degree; application for a change of venue filed, on the ground that defendant cannot be accorded a fair trial in Pettis county.

State vs. John Nelson, colored; petit larceny; plea of guilty and sentenced to ten days in jail.

State vs. Ed. Harris, colored; assault with intent to kill; plea of not guilty withdrawn and plea of guilty to common assault, defendant sentenced to ten days in jail. Defendant is a crippled negro, who shot at a colored man who had sustained illicit relations with Mrs. Harris, the ball taking effect in the latter's hand.

State vs. Jos. McLaughlin, larceny of a suit of \$12 clothes from Oscar Kerner; plea of guilty entered and sentenced to five days in jail.

State vs. Fred G. Miller, violation of local option law; brought to Pettis county on a change of venue from Johnson county; nolle prosequi entered.

State vs. Wm. Ragner, same offense at same place; continued on application of the state.

Adjourned until 1:30 o'clock p. m.

TRANSFERS OF REALTY.

Quite a Number of Deeds Filed for Record.

The following transfers of realty have been filed for record:

C. A. Shaeffer and wife to Christina E. Austin, lot 8, block 24, Sedalia, original plat; \$1,400.

R. L. Hale and wife to Eliza Mooney, lot 2, block 2, Hale's addition; \$200.

John M. Cain to Ward Kellerman, land in sections 9 and 29, township 46, range 20; \$1,600.

Mary T. Dunn to Jno. S. Banks, five acres of land in section 20, township 46 and range 21; \$1,025.

Andrew Stangl and wife to Christina E. Austin, 100 acres in section 28, township 44 and range 21, \$2,500.

Jacob O. Rice gave bond for deed to Geo. M. Rice for \$600.

Wm. E. Watson to John W. Montgomery, twenty acres of land in section 2, township 44 and range 21, \$550.

Porter Real Estate Co. to Chas. D. Brown, west half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 2, township 45, range 21, \$1,000.

Chas. D. Brown and wife to Porter Real Estate Co., lot 1, block 9, Smith & Cotton's seventh addition to Sedalia, \$1,400.

Wm. Dunfee and wife to W. L. Wimer, 146 1/2 acres in section 34, township 46, range 23, \$3,650.

W. L. Wimer and wife to C. B. Littlefield, 146 acres in section 34, township 46, range 23; \$3,700.

Christina E. Austin and husband to Andrew Stangle, lot 8, block 24, original plat of Sedalia; \$2,000.

Died of His Injuries.

John Evans, sr., who was fatally injured by his horse falling upon him at his farm near Dresden last Thursday, died yesterday from the effects of his injuries. Mr. Evans was born October 9, 1830, at Birmingham, England, and came to the United States in September, 1869. He settled in Sedalia and resided here until 1889, when he removed to his farm. He was a charter member of Amity lodge, No. 69, A. O. U. W. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the M. E. church, south.

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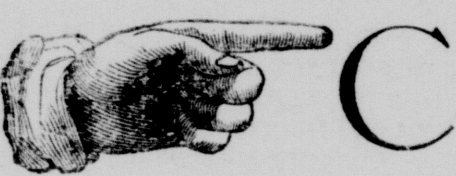
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The Man Or Boy

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Is not one-fourth cheaper than he ever saw it in Sedalia. Don't do this if your pocket-book is too fat—otherwise otherwise.



BLAIRS.

"WE WANT TO SEE MIKE!"

A Pathetic Scene at the Old City Prison of San Francisco.

"Please, sir, we—we want to see Mike!"

The speaker stood in front of the big iron gate that guards the entrance to the city prison. He was a boy—a mere child—and one of his little cold hands was tightly clasped around the handle of a neat-looking basket, while the other was held by his brother—a yet smaller tot, whose eyes were filled with tears.

They were both frightened by the experience they were undergoing, and the voice of the elder child trembled as he uttered the simple appeal.

The turnkey opened the ponderous gate, and the children entered the prison, says the San Francisco Examiner.

"Mike" proved to be their 17-year-old brother—Mike Brogan of 5 Gilbert street. He stole a bit of chain the other day, and that was the cause of his presence in the gloomy old jail. Prior to that offense he was always honest and always respected. And when he failed to meet them at the domestic hearthstone, and the father and mother were silent and grief-stricken, the little brothers, who always trusted him and loved him to the full, were bound to seek him out.

They found the object of their tender solicitude, and going up to their cell their faces lighted up with a pleasure in which there was much of pain.

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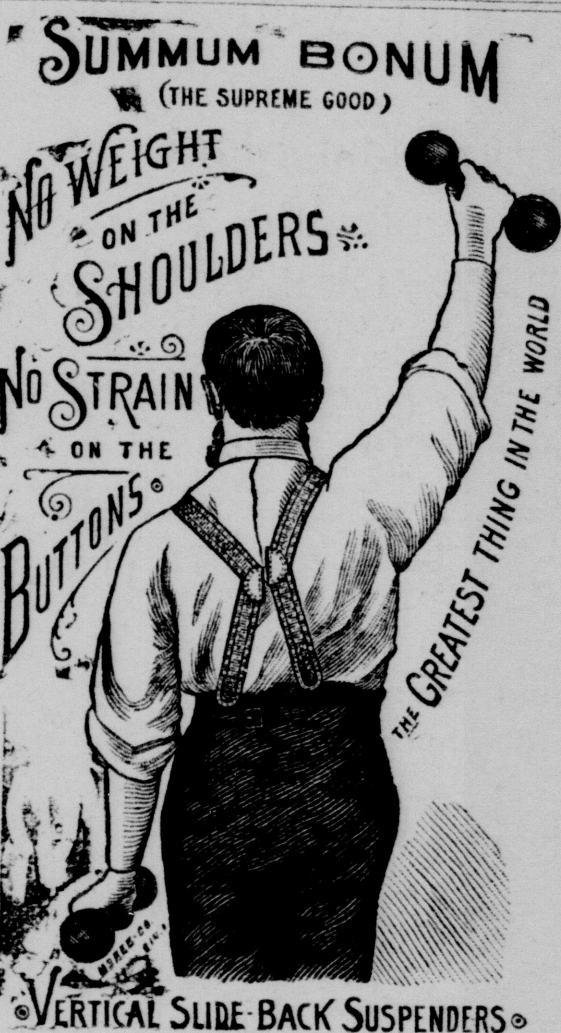
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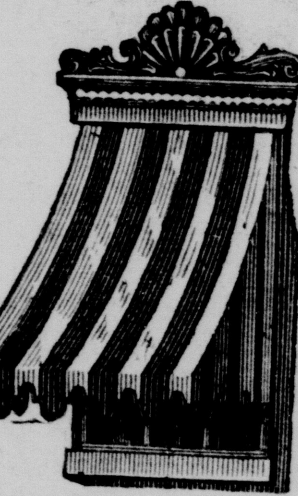


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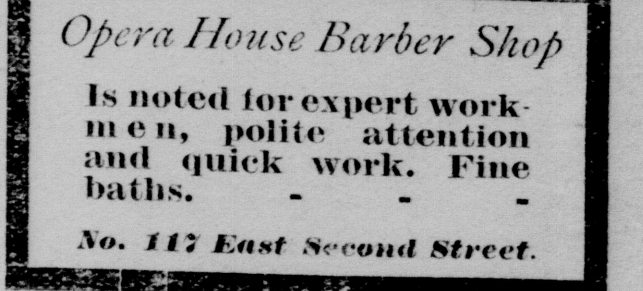
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